Please amend Claims 37, 40, and 41 and add Claims 48-52 as follows.

1. (Previously Presented) A method for manipulating an electronic document automatically created by an application program, said method comprising the steps of:

identifying a user invoked manipulation of said electronic document to determine if said invoked manipulation is one of a predetermined group of manipulations, wherein if said invoked manipulation is not a member of said group, allowing said invoked manipulation to proceed, or if said invoked manipulation is a member of said group, allowing said manipulation to proceed only in respect of a predetermined portion of said electronic document, wherein said predetermined portion is defined by a provider of said application program.

2. (Original) A method according to claim 1, wherein said predetermined portion comprises a predetermined number of pages of said electronic document.

3. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 1, wherein said group includes a printing function.

4. (Original) A method according to claim 3, wherein said printing function is the only member of said group.

5. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 1, wherein said electronic document represents a conglomeration of user selected electronic documents obtained via a traversal of a computer network.

6. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 5, wherein said predetermined portion comprises a predetermined number of said selected documents.

7. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 6, wherein associated with each said selected document of said conglomeration is a document location identifier, and said predetermined portion is determined using said document location identifiers.

8. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 5, wherein said manipulation is allowed to proceed only in respect of a predetermined portion of each said electronic documents.

9. (Original) A method according to claim 8, wherein said predetermined portion comprises a predetermined number of pages of an electronic document.

10. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 5, wherein said group includes a printing function.

11. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 3, wherein said printing function includes a print reduction function.

12. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 3, wherein said printing function includes a print preview function.

13. (Previously Presented) An apparatus for manipulating an electronic document automatically created by an application program, said apparatus comprising:

identifying means for identifying a user invoked manipulation of said electronic document to determine if said invoked manipulation is one of a predetermined group of manipulations;

allowing means for allowing said invoked manipulation to proceed if said invoked manipulation is not a member of said group; or if said invoked manipulation is a member of said group, allowing said manipulation to proceed only in respect of a predetermined portion of said electronic document, wherein said predetermined portion is defined by a provider of said application program.

14.-24. (Cancelled)

25. (Previously Presented) A computer program product comprising a computer usable medium having computer readable program code means embodied in said medium for manipulating an electronic document automatically created by an application program, said product including:

identifying means for identifying a user invoked manipulation of said electronic document to determine if said invoked manipulation is one of a predetermined group of manipulations;

allowing means for allowing said invoked manipulation to proceed if said invoked manipulation is not a member of said group; or if said invoked manipulation is a member of said

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group, allowing said manipulation to proceed only in respect of a predetermined portion of said electronic document, wherein said predetermined portion is defined by a provider of said application program.

26. (Original) A computer program product according to claim 25, wherein said predetermined portion comprises a predetermined number of pages of said electronic document.

27. (Previously Presented) A computer program product according to claim 25, wherein said group includes a printing function.

28. (Original) A computer program product according to claim 27, wherein said printing function is the only member of said group.

29. (Previously Presented) A computer program product according to claim 25, wherein said electronic document represents a conglomeration of user selected electronic documents obtained via a traversal of a computer network.

30. (Previously Presented) A computer program product according to claim 29, wherein said predetermined portion comprises a predetermined number of said selected documents.

31. (Previously Presented) A computer program product according to claim 30, wherein associated with each said selected document of said conglomeration is a document location identifier, and said predetermined portion is determined using said document location identifiers

32. (Previously Presented) A computer program product according to claim 29, wherein said manipulation is allowed to proceed only in respect of a predetermined portion of each said electronic documents.

33. (Original) A computer program product according to claim 32, wherein said predetermined portion comprises a predetermined number of pages of an electronic document.

34. (Previously Presented) A computer program product according to claim 29, wherein said group includes a printing function.

35. (Previously Presented) A computer program product according to claim 27, wherein said printing function includes a print reduction function.

36. (Previously Presented) A computer program product according to claim 27, wherein said printing function includes a print preview function.

37. (Currently Amended) A method of printing a plurality of web-site documents, said method comprising the steps of:

selecting said plurality of documents from documents previously accessed by a user;

determining whether an amount of said plurality of selected documents exceeds a predetermined value; and

printing a ~~portion~~ number of said plurality of selected documents up to said predetermined

value, if it is determined that the amount ~~said plurality of selected documents~~ exceeds said

predetermined value, and otherwise printing each of said plurality of selected documents.

38. (Previously Presented) A method according to Claim 37, wherein said accessed

documents are accessed using a Web browser.

39. (Previously Presented) A method according to Claim 37, further comprising the step of

prompting said user to identify particular documents desired to be printed.

40. (Currently Amended) An apparatus for printing a plurality of web-site documents, said

apparatus comprising:

determining means for determining whether an amount of said [[a]] plurality of documents

selected by a user exceeds a predetermined value; and

printing control means for printing a number ~~portion~~ of said plurality of selected documents

up to said predetermined value, if it is determined that the amount ~~said plurality of selected~~

~~documents~~ exceeds said predetermined value, and otherwise printing each of said plurality of

selected documents.

41. (Currently Amended) A computer program product comprising a computer readable

medium having computer program code stored thereon for printing a plurality of web-site

documents, said program code controlling the computer to perform the steps of:

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determining whether [[a]] an amount of said plurality of documents selected by a user

exceeds a predetermined value; and

printing a number ~~portion~~ of said plurality of selected documents up to said predetermined

value, if it is determined that the amount ~~said plurality of selected documents~~ exceeds said

predetermined value, and otherwise printing each of said plurality of selected documents.

42. (Previously Presented) A method for printing a plurality of documents automatically

formatted by an application program, said method comprising the steps of:

selecting said plurality of documents from documents previously accessed by a user via

traversal of a computer network;

determining whether an amount of said selected documents exceeds a predetermined value,

said predetermined value being determined by a provider of said application program; and

printing a number of said selected documents up to said predetermined value, if it is

determined that said amount of said selected documents exceeds said predetermined value,

otherwise printing each of said selected documents.

43. (Previously Presented) A method according to Claim 42, wherein said documents are

web-site documents and said amount represents a number of Uniform Resource Locators.

44. (Previously Presented) A method according to Claim 42, wherein said accessed

documents are accessed using a Web browser.

45. (Previously Presented) A method according to Claim 42, further comprising the step of prompting a user to identify particular documents to be printed.

46. (Previously Presented) An apparatus for printing a plurality of documents previously accessed by a user via traversal of a computer network, said plurality of documents being automatically formatted by an application program, said apparatus comprising:

determining means for determining whether a an amount of said plurality of documents selected by a user exceeds a predetermined value, said predetermined value being determined by a provider of said application program; and

printing control means for printing a number of said selected documents up to said predetermined value, if it is determined that said amount of said plurality of selected documents exceeds said predetermined value, otherwise printing each of said selected documents.

47. (Previously Presented) A computer program product comprising a computer readable medium having computer program code stored thereon for printing a plurality of documents previously accessed by a user via traversal of a computer network, said plurality of documents being automatically formatted by an application program, said program code controlling the computer to perform the steps of;

determining whether an amount of said documents selected by a user exceeds a predetermined value, said predetermined value being determined by a provider of said application program; and

printing control means for printing a number of said selected documents up to said predetermined value, if it is determined that said amount of said selected documents exceeds said predetermined value, otherwise printing each of said selected documents.

48. (New) A method according to claim 1, wherein said provider is a developer and/or supplier of said application program.

49. (New) An apparatus according to claim 13, wherein said provider is a developer and/or supplier of said application program.

50. (New) A computer program according to claim 25, wherein said provider is a developer and/or supplier of said application program.

51. (New) An apparatus according to claim 46, wherein said determining means determines that an amount of said plurality of documents selected by a user exceeds the predetermined value when a number of pages specified by said provider of said application program or a number of URLs specified by said provider of said application program exceeds the predetermined value.

52. (New) An apparatus according to claim 46, wherein said provider is a developer and/or supplier of said application program.